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Librarians Chosen For Institute

Miss Theresa Coletta, Regional Children's Librarian for the Avery-Mitchell-Yanœy Regional Library and Miss Betty Griffith, Librarian at Bowman High School, Bakersville, have been selected as participants in an "Institute on Library Service to Disadvantaged Children and Youth", to be held at the University of South Florida, Tampa, Fla., from June 14 through June 25.

This Institute, providing instruction at the graduate

school level, and under sponsorship of the Office of Education, will explore new ideas and media to expand service to these potential users of all types of libraries.

Miss Coletta, who has ser ved as the Regional Children's Librarian since 1969, has, during that time, organized and conducted far-reaching specialized children's programs in each of the libraries in the 3 county area, as well as community programs, radio programs, and similar presen tations to acquaint our youngsters, and their parents, with the library resources available to them throughout the area. The selection to attend this Institute is of particular significance since participation therein is limited to 40 libra rians from throughout the nine state Southeastern region.

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